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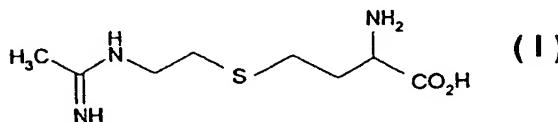
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(57) Abstract: Pharmaceutical compositions comprising (2S)-2-amino-4-[(2-(ethanimidoylamino) ethyl]thio)butanoic acid; (Formula I); a pharmaceutically acceptable bulking agent and one or more antioxidants or chelating agents are described.

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